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Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form							
Application No.: 08/903,743 First Named Applicant: Timothy Merrick Long Examiner: Cesar B. Paula Art Unit: 2178 Status of Application: Pending							
Tentative Participants: (1) Cesar B. Paula (2) David A. Divine (Reg. No. 51,275)							
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Proposed Date of Interview: <u>January 11, 2005</u> Proposed Time: <u>11:00</u> AM/PM)							
Type of Interview Requested: (1) [x] Telephonic (2) [] Personal (3) [] Video Conference							
Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: [] YES [] NO If yes, provide brief description: Attached to December 27, 2004 Amendment.							
Issues To Be Discussed							
Issues Claims/ (Rej., Obj., etc) Fig. #s	Prior	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed			
(1) § 103 independent	Art. Nehab et al. and Savitzky et	af.]	[].	[]			
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Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:							
As set forth in December 27, 2004 Amendment							
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